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FARM CENTER OPPOSES NO. 13, NAMES COMMODITY CHAIRMEN

Porterville Farm Bureau Center went on record as opposed to Proposition No. 13 at a dinner meeting last week at Berkshire's Palm cafe in Porterville, and elected Commodity representatives for the 1949 year.

In addition, a donation was authorized for maintenance work at the Witaker Forest 4-H camp and a second donation was voted for a Farm Bureau room in the Memorial Union building on the campus of the University of California, college of agriculture at Davis.

Proposition No. 13, which will appear on the November 2 election ballot, calls for reapportionment of the California senate on a basis of population. The measure is receiving heavy opposition throughout the valley areas of California.

Committees Named

Named by the Farm Bureau Center on commodity committees were: Mark Borror, Wilbur Dennis, Ralph Wardlaw, John Guthrie, Vernon Gill and Paul Morris, beef cattle.

E. I. Barnes, W. C. Bradford, Jack Emory, Bill Ferguson, Paul Moore and Bill Randolph, citrus; Carl Thiesse, edible tree nuts; Henry Owen, Francis Muller, Henry Lubking, Clyde Carlisle, Bill Lubking and Paul Zimmerman, field crops.

C. W. Burtner and Louie Padula, olives; W. C. Hart, A. A. Hudson and A. A. Mucke, poultry and Frank Cannella, vegetables.

Presiding at the meeting was Roy Southwick, Center chairman. Olem Meith, assistant Tulare county farm advisor, showed a colored motion picture on chem-

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County Business To County Firms Declares Moore

A statement that he favors the granting of Tulare county business to Tulare county business firms was made this week by Rodgers L. Moore, candidate for supervisor from the 1st district that includes the Porterville, Strathmore and Lindsay areas.

Mr. Moore said that if elected, he will do all in his power to assure that business men in his district will be afforded an opportunity to bid on county purchases, and that he favors a county policy that calls for county purchases from county business houses.

"While it is to the benefit of the county to secure needed

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HOSPITAL POLICY UP FOR DISCUSSION

A discussion of future policy of the Sierra View Hospital district is slated for the evening of October 22, at a meeting of board members with the district architect at the Porterville city hall at 8 o'clock.

The district was recently notified that its request for state and federal asistance in the matter of building funds had been turned down since the district hospital needs, as determined by a survey last summer, are not acute enough to place it at the top of the state priority list.

No Plan

Although board members have not announced definitely plans for the future in view of the recent developments, it seems to be the opinion of individual board members that best possible plan may be to submit the matter of a bond issue for building funds to voters of hospital dist.

If this is done, board members

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RANGERETTES SLATED FOR HORSE SHOW

The California Rangerettes, a colorful riding group of girls from nine to 18 years of age, will appear as one of the feature attractions of the Orange Belt Saddle Club Fall Horse show that is scheduled for October 17 at the Rocky Hill arena east of Porterville.

Carroll Simmons, show chairman, states that the Rangerettes are expert riders and that they present a drill, ridden in a slow cantor and accompanied by music. The group, led by Margaret Green and Pat Boyd and coached by Chet Strickler, hails from Parlier and have won acclaim at several horse shows in the San Joaquin valley.

Announcement was also made this week that Owen Hoover, well-known Porterville horse trainer, will lead the Grand Entry on his dancing mare, Di-

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THIRD FROM LEFT--THE GRAND CHAMPION

THIRD FROM the left, above, is the grand champion boar of the 1948 California State fair, bred and shown by Rolla Bishop of Porterville. On the left is the reserve champion gilt of the show and the two remaining gilts took second and third in their class. These four Poland Chinas also took first in the Young Herd class, Young Herd By An Exhibitor class, get-of-sire and produce- of dam.

Irrigation District Progress Made

Progress in the formation of two Southern Tulare county irrigation districts—the Porterville Irrigation district and the Lower Tule River Irrigation district—is reported this week.

Committeemen of the Porterville district, covering the area west of Porterville, state that sufficient signatures representing numbers and property valuation, have been secured and that, following a final drive for signers, petitions calling for district formation, will be presented to the Tulare county board of supervisors.

Representatives of the Lower Tule River district, that covers and area generally along the Tule river and extending to the county line on the west, are also securing petition signatures and when sufficient signers have been obtained, plan to also present their petitions to the board of supervisors.

Hospital Policy Up For Discussion

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also have individually expressed the opinion that the board should not engage in a "selling" campaign, but should let the final decision of a bond issue, that would amount to possibly $750,000 or more, rest entirely with voters of the district.

It is emphasized, however, that as yet no official action has been taken by the board concerning future policy or possible action.

Meanwhile, the board is going ahead with plans for a district election to be held November 2, on two members whose term expires—Clarence Braford of Terra Bella and Vinton Daley of Strathmore. Other board members are C. R. Williams, of Porterville; Myron Tobias of Poplar and Lawrence Unser of Springville.

Rangeretts Are Slated For Horse Show Oct. 17

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anne, carrying Mr. Hoovers silver mounted equipment.

Included among competitive events of the show will be a sack race for junior, a trail horse class, a parade of breeds, an in-and-out stake race, a pleasure horse class for children, a stock horse class, a matched pairs class, a Shetland pony sulky race, and the South San Joaquin Valley Championship Relay race.

Entry blanks and detailed information concerning these events may be obtained in Porterville at Jones Hardware company and at Bee's Sweet shop. Entries close on October 15.

Trophies for the 10 events of the show are now on display in Porterville in the window of the Clar-retta shop. Assisting Mr. Simmons with arrangements are Virgil Hodgson, Rolla Bishop and Allan Coates. Show judges will be Till Goodan, noted Hollywood western artist, George Bell of Tulare and Bob Nyswonger of Porterville. Harry Britton of Porterville will announce the show and Don Jones, also of Porterville, will serve as arena director.

For The Ladies - - -

Persimmons Make Colorful Dessert Pudding

Persimmons should be on the market soon, so plan to use them in a variety of ways. They make a nice color when used in a fruit bowl for decorations, and they also make a colorful and tasty dessert.

Slit the skin of a very ripe persimmon in four sections and peel back like petals of a flower. place on a plate and serve with a spoon—some people like them with cream. Persimmons also make delicious cookies and pudding. The recipe given here is for a baked pudding which is excellent.

- 2 c sugar
- 3 c flour
- 2 c persimmon pulp
- 3 tsp soda
- 3 tsp baking pwd.
- 2 c dates, chopped
- 1 c milk
- 3 T butter
- 2 c chopped nuts
- 2 tsp vanilla

Mix and sift dry ingredients. Combine persimmon pulp, dates, nuts and 3 T melted butter. Mix well; add milk and blend. Add sifted dry ingredients and finally vanilla. Grease and flour two long pans. Fill each half full. Bake at 350 degrees for one and one-half hours or until done.

STATE AIMS BLOWS AT BOOKIES

Action by the federal government to ban interstate telephone and telegraph service to race wire operators has been asked by the California Public Utilities commission.

TREE PLANTING SHOWS INCREASE

More than 200 million trees were planted in the nation during 1947, according to U. S. Forest Service figures, representing an increase of two and one-half times the number planted the previous year.

The State Board of Agriculture has gone on record opposing daylight saving time.

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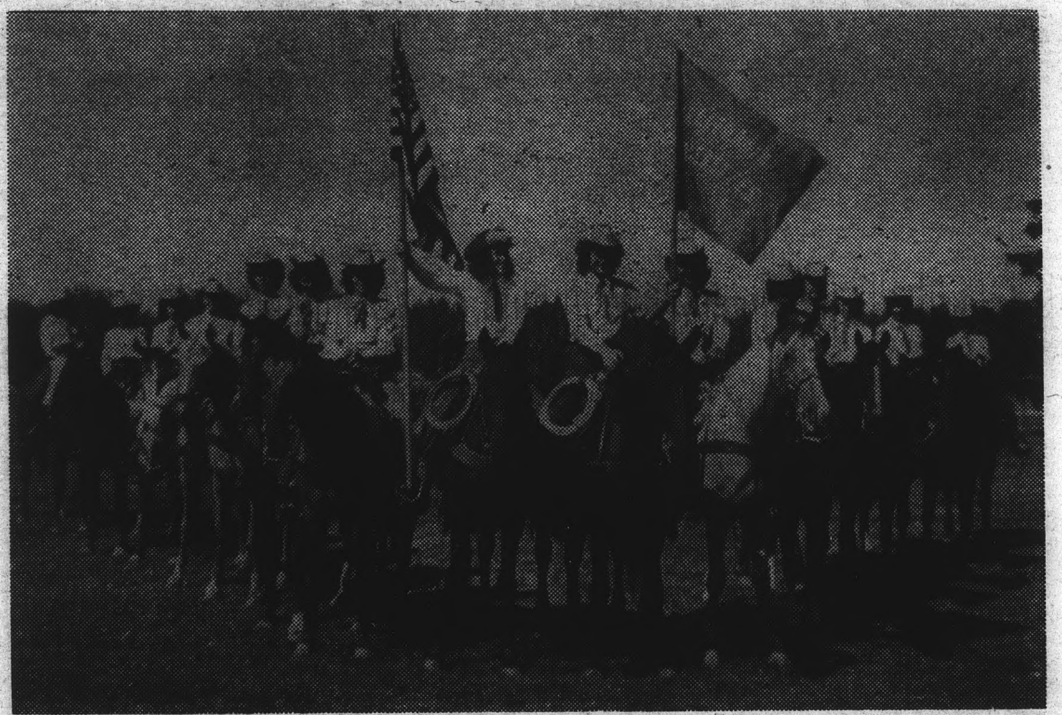

SPECIAL ATTRACTION at the Orange Belt Saddle Club Horse show, October 17, will be the California Rangeretts, a corolful group of girl riders ranging in age from nine to 18 years, led by the team captain, Margaret Green and Lieutenent Pat Boyd. The group, which performs a complicated drill in a slow canter accompanied bp music, hails from Parlier and is directed by Chet Strickler.

Total of 74,132 persons attended the Tulare County fair this year, according to Manager Alfred J. Elliott, representing an increase of 2,000 over last year.

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City Officials Meet In Porterville

Meeting of the Southern San Joaquin Valley division of the League of California cities will be held in Porterville the evening of October 15, it has been announced by City Manager Harold Corbin of Porterville.

The meeting, a dinner session, will be held in the Porterville Women's club on E street. It will start at 6:30 o'clock.

The California Council of Republican Women is on record as opposing reapportment of the California state senate.

A Tulare county exhibit in keeping with the California Centennial, is being displayed for three weeks in the Hearst building, on Market street in San Francisco. The exhibit is being handled by the Tulare county chamber of commerce.

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Improved Motor Vehicle Service

Improved motor vehicle service in Porterville is provided for in the requested new budget of the California Department of Motor Vehicles, according to A. H. Henderson, department director, who says that his office plans a combined registration and drivers' license service in Porterville for three and one-half days each week.

Whether or not the necessary funds are approved depends upon action of the next session of the state legislature. Mr. Henderson states that if sufficient demand exists, the service might be expanded in the future.

At the present time, service for car registration is provided for only five days per year and driver license examination three days per week. The Porterville chamber of commerce has been working on the proposed service expansion for some time.

Shorthorns For Project Work

Raymond Chappel, Porterville Future Farmer and Walter Hunsaker and Betty Muller, of the Ducor 4-H club, recently secured Shorthorn calves for their organization projects during the next year.

The calves were obtained from Ralph Jones, Porterville Shorthorn breeder. They will be fed out for showing and for sale next year.

Farm Tribune Ads Get Results!

M. Petigliano President Of Burton 4-H

Mildred Pitigliano was elected president of the Burton 4-H club at the September meeting of the group. Micheal Anthony was named vice president; Sharon Castle, secretary-treasurer; Neil Carpenter, recreational director and Roger Overstreet, reporter.

During the meeting, Frances Wilson reported on the recent Junior leaders' conference at Davis, and Roger Overstreet, Burton delegate, reported on the State 4-H convention, also at Davis.

Next meeting of the club will be held October 28, with installation of officers, awarding of year pins and ribbons and a gold seal for the club charter, planned.

Library Opened At Pixley

New branch of the Tulare county library was opened this week in the Pixley county building, with Mrs. Jewell English as librarian.

Open hours are from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M. Monday through Friday and from 7 P.M. to 9 P.M. Mondays and Wednesdays. The library will be open exclusive for children on Friday monring.

According to Miss Edith Taylor, Tulare county librarian, the Pixley branch is the finest equipped library for its size in the state.

Guernsey Sale Set Tomorrow

"Rancholm Eldor's Lady" has been consigned by Ray Kennedy Porterville dairman, to the Fifth Annual Invitational Purebred Guernsey Cattle sale that will be held tomorrow, beginning at 10 o'clock, at the Kern County Union High School Labratory on Stein road, Bakersfield.

The sale is sponsored by the Bakersfield chapter of the Future Farmers of America and the California Guernsey Cattle club.

Third annual convention of the California Flying Farmers will be held October 8 and 9 on the California college of agriculture campus at Davis.

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Additional blue ribbons went to the Arabian horses of Donald Jones of Porterville and Dale Trimmel of the JDT ranch at Springville when they appeared in competition during the past week at the Kern county fair in Bakersfield.

Mr. Jones showed a first-place yearling stallion, a third-place yearling stallion; a third-place two-year stallion and took second for produce of dam. Mr. Trimmel showed a first place yearling filly and a second place yearling stallion.

Tulare Winner

At Tulare the preceding week, Mr. Jones showed a first place two year stallion and second and third place yearling stallions while Mr. Trimmel showed a first place yearling filly and a first place and grand champion yearling stallion.

In addition, a Jones Arabian was judged first in the parade horse class at the fair's horse show and another animal placed first in the pleasure horse class with Nan McHenry, of Porterville, riding in the latter class.

Both Mr. Jones and Mr. Trimmel plan to enter horses in the All-Arabian show that will be held October 23 and 24 at the Pomona fair grounds in Southern California.

Farm Bureau Picnic Draws 2,100 Members

Some 2,100 members of the Tulare County Farm Bureau enjoyed an outdoor lunch and barbecued beef prepared by Ed Jones of Porterville, at the annual picnic of the organization held last Sunday at Mooney grove.

Roy McLain, of Ivanhoe, presided over the afternoon program, and complimented a number of individuals on their Farm Bureau work. County President C. A. Ridgway spoke briefly and was awarded the individual prize for securing the largest number of new members.

Charles Sheldon of Lindsay and R. D. Bissell, of Pixley, were included in the group that secured 10 new members or more.

GRANKE ASKS ACTION ON MARITIME STRIKE

The California State Grange, through President George Seylmeyer, has asked President Truman to name a five-man commission to settle the coast maritime strike.

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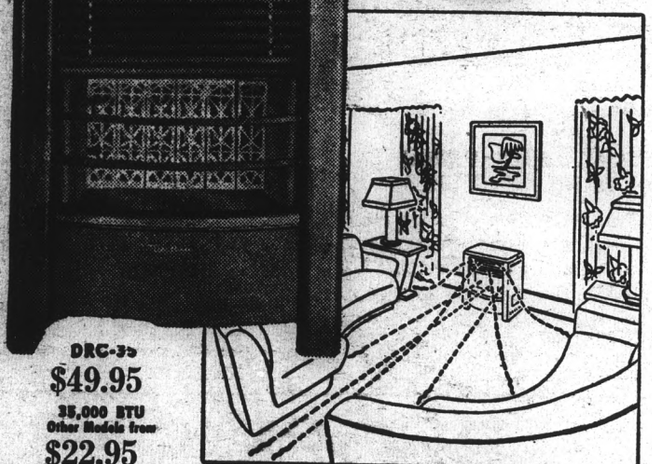

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Thirtieth Annual November 11 Celebration Shaping Up For Porterville Veterans Groups

Plans are this week shaping up for Porterville's 30th Annual November 11 Homecoming celebration, with A. B. Carpenter acting as general chairman and with Porterville Post No. 20, American Legion and Mt. Whitney Post 2001, Veterans of Foreign Wars, sponsoring the event.

The day's program will include a free, morning parade down Porterville's Main street, an afternoon football game with Porterville high meeting Delano high, hot rod races at the Porterville Speed bowl, an event directed by the Orange Belt Saddle club at the Rocky Hill arena, a dance Armistice night and varied street entertainment during and preceding the celebration.

Homecoming

In addition, the annual Homecoming of old-time residents of Porterville will be held at Porterville high school under the direction of Reuben Gilliam and a special memorial service will be conducted by the Rev. Charles M. Brandon. Window decoration contest among Porterville Merchants will be handled by Robert Serbian.

Assisting Mr. Carpenter with general planning are Anton Konda, Legion commander and Gene Quiram, VFW commander, also Aubrey M. Lumley, Jr. and Ira Marlett.

Special event chairman is Mr. Konda, assisted by Mr. Quiram, James Morton and Ed. Sutherland; parade committee is Pete Wells, Willard Wall and M. M. Brooks; football, Barney Richardson and William Stokwell; homecoming, Mr. Gilliam; memorial service, the Rev. Mr. Brandon.

Other Committeemen

Window decoration, Robert Serbian; street entertainment, C. R. Williams, Claude Brumbaugh and Elmore Salisbury; concessions, Evertt Calowell, Mike Burkovich, George Macri and Hugh Williams; ticket sellers for all events, Fred Saak, R. L. Cogburn, E. L. Long, A. M. Falconer, Haven Anderson, George Van Camp, Roy Bruce, Leonard Dailey, Rex Roby and Joe Fox.

Advertising and Publicity, Bill Rodgers: finance, R. S. Conklin, Charles Conlin and Harry Nicolus; saddle club event, Dr. Edgar N. Danner; hot rod races, Arnold Bremler, Jr.; dance Jack Starks, Myron Wilcox, Brien Milinich and Jack Gilliam; breakfast for committee workers, R. D. Parrish, Dexter Johnson and Walter Pratt; police, Charles Baine and decorations, George Della.

RAIL RATE INCREASE ASKED

An eight per cent raise in railroad freight rates has been requested from the Interstate Commerce commission by the railroad industry. A 25 per cent increase was granted to rail and water carriers earlier this year.

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Sterling silver medals, all-expense trips to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, and college scholarships will be offered this year by Ford Tractor and Dearborn farm equipment dealers in connection with the National 4-H Poultry Achievement program.

Announcement of the awards was made this week by Dearborn Motors corporation, Detroit, and Billingsley and Elliott Tractor Sales, 1433 North Main Street, Porterville.

The Poultry program, now underway in every state in the Nation, is one of 24 4-H award programs conducted by the extension service of the State Agricultural college, and the U. S. department of agriculture.

One major objective of the 4-H Poultry program is to find the place of poultry in the economy of the general farm. To do this, 4-H boys and girls study scientific developments in poultry production and demonstrate the application of new findings to their own poultry flocks.

Sterling silver medals will be awarded to all county winners and all state winners will recieve an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago Nov. 28 to Dec. 2. Ten college scholarships of $200 each will be presented to a national group selected from the state winners.

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A total of $2,324,534.32 was spent in Tulare county for road and bridge construction and maintenance during the period July 1, 1947 to June 30, 1948 it was reported this week from the office of Art J. Snell, county road commissioner.

Total receipts for the period were $2,733,306.49, with the following funds included in this amount: State gasoline tax prior to Collier-Burns Hoghway act, $30,978.58; county road tax, $267,288.85 and state and federal funds for Federal Aid Secondary roads, $889,713.24.

Of the above listed expenditures, $1,030,524.63 went for new construction of roads and bridges and $1,026,564.70 for maintenance of county roads and bridges. New and replacement equipment amounted to $186,935.99 and the road department payroll was $384,587.16.

These figures were taken from a report that is filed with the state controller on October 1 under terms of the Collier-Burns Highway act, on income and expenditures for each fiscal year. The road department account was audited by Joe Janelli.

Chick hatching figure reaches highest point in California during month of August that has been reported since 1945.

Loans Available For Cotton Stored On Farm

Cotton stored on farms in approved structure is now eligible for Commodity Credit corporation loans. As originally annuonced, loans were available only cotton stored on approved public warehouses.

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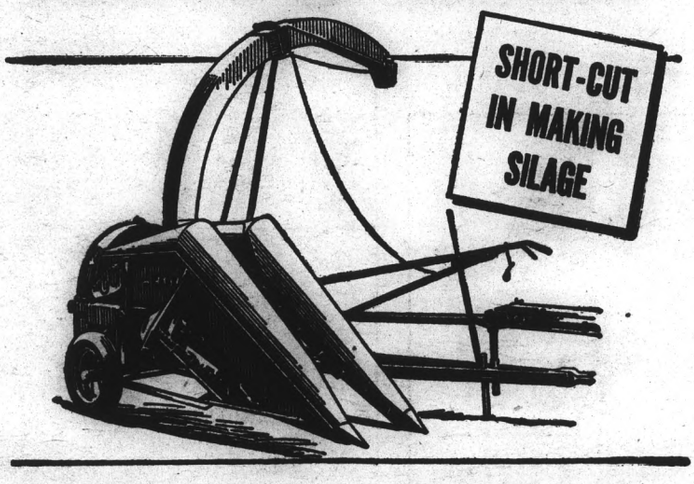

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OCTOBER 5, 1889

At last, the big tree, "California," which Messers McKiearnan and Davidson have been cutting down in the Redwood forest above Frazier, is ready and well under way to visit those places where anything from the "wild west" will be welcomed as a curiosity, and, shortly, those narrow-minded sceptics who have never seen a genuine giant of the Redwood groves will have to admit that the fabulous stories told of the world famous but little seen sequoia gigantes are true.

"California" was cut from a tree growing in the Redwood grove some three-quarters of a mile to the east of Frazier's mill and is a portion of a forest giant which grew to a hieght of some 300 feet and measured some 76 ft. in circumferance at the base. It has been cut into eight separate pieces, each weighing from 1,200 to 1,500 pounds.

John McKiearnan and three assistants accompanied "California" to Porterville, where they arrived at about 2: P. M. Tuesday. Monday morning will witness the departure of the stump for Visalia, where it will be placed on exhibition for the forthcoming fair, after which it is bound for Tulare, Fresno, Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, San Diego and San Bernardino. Eventually, it will bid a long farewell to its native state and will start for New Orleans via Texas.

On Tuesday, last, the Pioneer Land company put a force of men to work on their proposed canal, which is to supply water for their northern subdivision. It is to be three miles long and will have a bottom width of six feet, and will extend to the Pioneer Raisin company's possessions, which they are irrigating by the aid of lateral ditches.

The canal commenecs at Cypress street, runs west until it reaches the railroad, where it will take a straight course through the company land. In building this canal, it is intended to utilize as much as possible of the old Hyde ditch.

We paid a visit to the Billy Brown ranch on the West field Sunday last and walked through avenues of corn 12 to 14 feet high; we examined his tobacco plants, marvelled at his beets, some of which are as high as 16 inches; measured a 17-inch-in-diameter sunflower and became aquainted with some very fine, well-bred hogs and hoglets. Billy has a nice place and grew the largest melons about here last year.

Precisely at 16 minutes past nine on Sunday night, last, the town was thrown into a state of great excitement by what there is not the slightest doubt were two distinct earthquake shocks; a space of about three seconds elapsed between them.

We are to have a tailoring establishment here shortly. We are glad of it.

The Burton school opened on Monday last Miss Helen Hausch as the principal.

There was quite a jolly and well-attended dance in the school house at Tail Holt last night

J. B. Sutherland is thinking of selling his ranch near White River and launching into the livery stable business at Hanford.

Ab Brown has given up the Russell hotel at Plano and has come back to Porterville, where he goes into partnership with Tom Simmons. Ab's departure leaves Plano with but one saloon now. There were formerly three, so it is very evident that the liquor business is not a pronounced success in that burgh.

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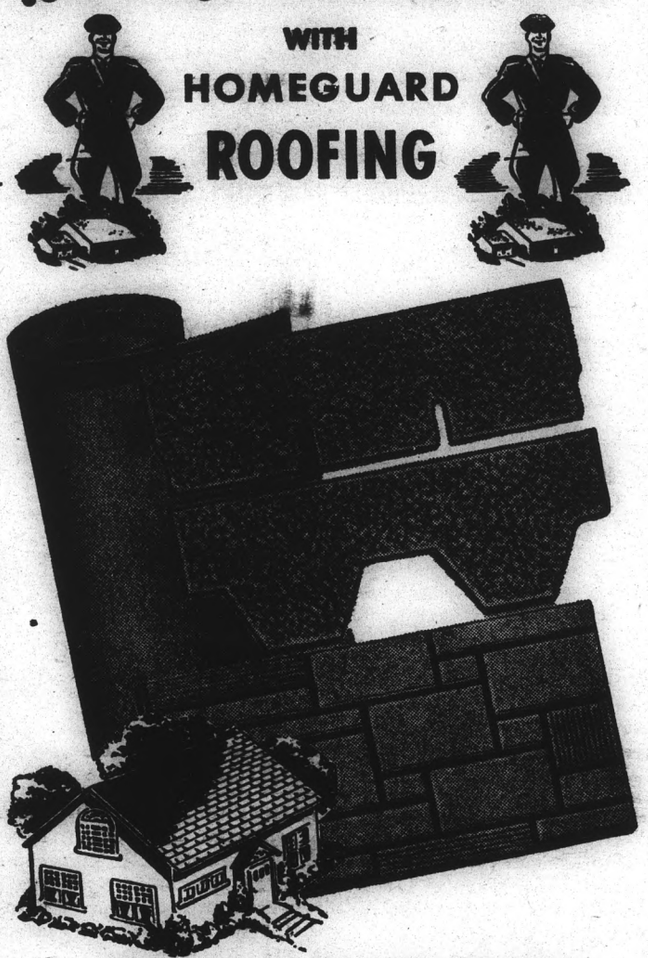

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Precinct No. 1, Ducor Women's clubhouse, Ethel M. Hicks, inspector and Myrtle S. Ballew and Sara Parsons, judges; precinct No. 2, Johnsondale school, Earl Whitson, inspector and Marie Doepper and Mable Mires, judges; precinct No. 3, Terra Bella school, Sarah F. Gordinier, inspector and Inez S. Gunnison and Helene L. Tosh, judges.

Precinct No. 4, Poplar Grange hall, Phoebe A. Tobias, inspector and Louise Huchinson and Alberta Unser, judges; precinct No. 5, Vandalia school, William A. Talbot, inspector and Emma A. Lemming and Olivette R. Button, judges; precinct No. 6, Porterville Women's clubhouse, Beverly B. Jamison, inspector and Virginia M. Williams and Beatrice Masterson, judges.

Precinct No. 7, Baptist hall, Porterville, Evelyn L. Fittro, inspector and Grace L. Wade and Frances L. Kyker, judges; precinct No. 8, Burton school, Eliza F. DePaoli, inspector and Mary J. Adams and Katherine H. Rogers, judges; precinct No. 9, Whitridge Tire Service, Porterville, Bessie Carrol, inspector and Betty C. Giddings and Hazel

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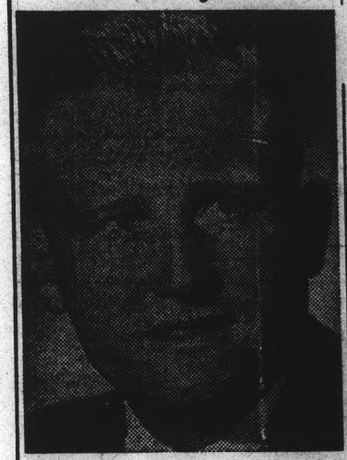

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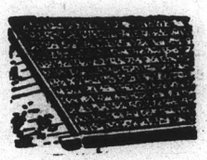

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New Poultry Producers' Plant In Fresno Become Historical "Eight Day Wonder"

Building history was made in Fresno, recently, when the new mill of the San Joaquin Valley Poultry Producers' association was erected in eight days by use of the slip form method of construction—the first time that this type of construction had been used on a square building.

In telling of the construction work at a meeting of the Porterville Rotary clug, recently C. A. Heffernan, Poultry Producers' association manager, said that steel work was first completed, then the rapid concrete pour was made on the plant that is 90x180 feet and 136 feet high.

30-Tons

Mr Heffernan stated that machinery is now being installed in the mill capable of producing 30 tons of mixed feed per hour and that storage capacity for 9,000 tons has been provided.

He also said that a new principle of feed mixing will be used, with the possiblity of "human error" being removed by equipment that operates under a system of controlled weights and automatic feed hoppers. The equipment will reduce cost of feed production and will assure correct proportions of mix ingredients at all times.

Brief History

In outlining the history of the Poultry Producers' asscoiation, Mr. Heffernan said that 25 years ago some 45 individuals of the Porterville community organized the cooperation association. He said that the association now has facilities in Bakersfield, the new mill, which is the most modern on the Pacific coast, in Fresno, the Porterville plant and serves some 2,200 members from Chowchilla to Bakersfield.

An increase in dairy production in the southern San Joaquin valley was predicted by Mr. Heffernan, who said that the association anticipates a constantly increasing demand for dairy feeds, as well as poultry feeds. He said that the new Fresno mill will augment existing facilities of the association but that headquarters for the Poultry Producers' will remain in Porterville.

Architect and contractor on the new Fresno mill was Burton F. Dinsmore, a nationally-known builder. Prior to construction, a survey of needs and economical aspects of the problem of better service to association members was conducted by experts in these fields, with the result that the Fresno location was selected for the new mill, Mr. Heffernan stated.

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Precinct Set For Hospital Election

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M. Lofton, judges.

Precinct No. 10, Strathmore Women's clubhouse, W. D. Turney, inspector and Iva G. Bergen and Ida Summers, judges; precinct No. 11, Springville Community hall, May E. McDonald, inspector and Ena L. Lyman and Gladys W. Scott, judges and precinct No. 12, Alta Vista school Nona B. Pinnell, inspector and Mary H. Hilton and Eva Delk, judges.

Polls will open on November 2 from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M. and purpose of the election is to fill vacancies created by expiration of the board terms of Clarence Bradford of Terra Bella and Vinton Daley, of Strathmore.

Farm Center Opposes No. 13

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ical weed control and attending from Visalia was Sarah R. Smith, Tulare County Farm Bureau secretary.

About 40 members of the Center attended the meeting.

SOL CAMP PAYS $25,000 FOR PACER

A price of $25,000 was paid at Lexington, Kentucky, by Sol Camp for "Dazzleway," a bay, yearling pacer from the famous Gainsway farm—the price being the second highest on record for a yearling pacer.

Dazzleway was sired by the late Billy Direct, who holds the world's pacing record of 1.55 for a mile, the mark being set 10 years ago at Lexington in a run against time.

Mr. Camp, Kern county former, has established headquarters for his nationally known string of harness horses at Springville, where he is completing extensive developments on his ranch there.

Chick hatching figure reaches highest point in California during month of August that has been reported since 1945.

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California Farm Bureau To Hold Thirtieth Annual Convention

The 30th annual convention of the California Farm Bureau federation representing nearly 55,000 farm families, will be held in Sacramento, November 15-18 it was announced this week.

I. D. Boone, Exeter, state delegate of the Tulare County Farm Bureau Federation quoted President Ray B. Wiser as anticipating the largest attendance in the 30 years history of the organization.

Delegates and members from 51 County Farm Bureaus will take part in the meeting, said Boone, and adopt policies for the coming year.

Wiser announced that many prominent men and women already have accepted invitations to address the Sacramento convention. Among these are:

Mrs. Raymond Sayre, of Iowa, president of the Associated Country Women of the World; Edward A. O'Neal, of Alabama, former president of the American Farm Bureau Federation; United States Senator Edward Thye, of Minnesota; Roger Fleming, of Washington, D. C., director of the American Farm Bureau Federation's Washington office.

Invitations also have been extended by Wiser to United States Senator Hugh Butler, of Nebraska; Governor Earl Warren; and Lieutenant Governor Goodwin J. Knight.

"Our annual convention is the highlight of our Farm Bureau year of accomplishments," said Boone. "It is also the period in which we project our programs and activities for the future.

"We urge our members to make plans at this time to attend the Sacramento meeting."

POULTRY ASSN. PRESIDENT RESIGNS

Carl L. Richard, of Fresno, president of the board of directors of the San Joaquin Valley Poultry Producers association, has resigned because of the press of farming and other activities. Ray Neilson, vice president, has replaced Mr. Richard.

JUNIOR SALE HANDLED BY FARM BUREAU MEN

Junior fat stock sale held Saturday morning at the Tulare fair grounds was handled by the Farm Bureau Marketing association, with Vince Powers and Freddy Martella, auctioners.

A disperal sale at the Taussig Brothers Hereford ranch in Colorado recently netted $422,375.

Hogs, Cattle, Poultry, Lambs Win F. F. A. Awards

Future Farmers of Porterville Union High school showed prize-winning cattle, hogs, lambs and poultry at the recent Tulare County fair, with the complete list of winnings following:

Delwin Moench, Hampshire hogs, champion gilt, first, junior boar pig, junior sow pig, young herd, lightweight barrow, light pen of three barrows, heavyweight barrow and heavyweight pen of three barrows; second, junior sow pig, lightweight barrow and heavyweight barrow and third, junior sow pig, lightweight and heavyweight barrow.

Raymond Chappel, Durocs, senior champion junior yearling sow and first and third barrows; Walter Choate, first and second, fat Poland China barrows; Howard Walker, senior champion Poland China junior yearling sow; Aubrey Ashburn, fourth, Duroc gilt; Thomas Long, fifth, Duroc gilt, and Pete Hughart, champion Poland China sow.

In the poultry division, Virgil Snow showed a first place New Hampshire trio and White Leghorn hen; third place White Leghorn pullet: fourth place White Leghorn hen and White Leghorn pullet and third place pen in the egg-laying contest.

Raymond Chappel took seconds with a White Leghorn hen, White Leghorn cock and White Leghorn cockerel and his pen placed second in the egg laying contest.

Dick Woodard took junior division honors with his Hereford steer in the beef cattle division and David Hopkins showed the top Angus in the division. Tom Long exhibited a second-place Hereford breeding female.

In the dairy cattle division, Gene Pixley won a first with his milking Shorthorn heifer; Donald Baxley won first with a Jersey heifer and Doyle Clinken placed second and Dick White took third with their Jersey heifers.

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PMA Voting In November

Election of local California PMA committeemen will be held during the month of November, according to a statement this week by E. H. Spoor, state chairman, who urges all farmers to watch for election notices and to participate in the election.

The local and state committeemen are elected to administer the Agricultural Conservation program, Price Support programs and other farm programs.

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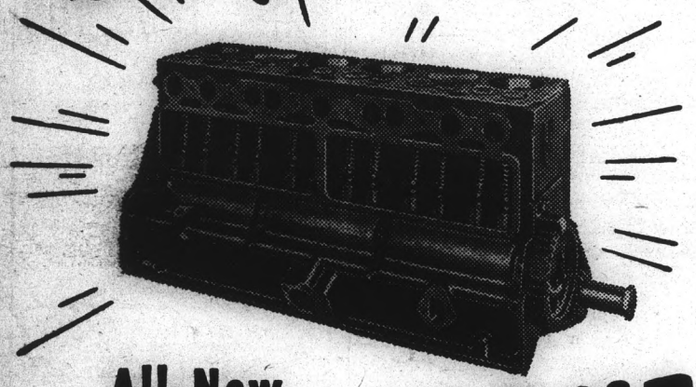

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Permanent pasture planted during October will nearly always produce considerable feed for stock by early spring, if not before. Many dairymen take advantage of an old alfalfa which has dropped off in production to seed it to pasture. This can usually be done by merely working up the surface of the soil enough to form a good but shallow seedbed. Seed can be broadcast and covered lightly by a harrow or cultipacker.

If much bermuda or other grass has started to grow, the field should be worked up more in order to eliminate as much of this competition as possible. It is particularly advisable to seed pasture in thefall if much competition is expected from bermuda. A good growth and stand of pasture during the winter and early spring will frequently hold bermuda well under control.

Leaflets discussing how to plant and grow permanent pasture and presenting the seed mixtures recommended for different kinds of soil may be obtained upon request at the Farm Advisor's Office, in the Post Office Building, Visalia.

TREE PLANTING SHOWS INCREASE

More than 200 million trees were planted in the nation during 1947, according to U. S. Forest Service figures, representing an increase of two and one-half times the number planted the previous year.

STATE AIMS BLOWS AT BOOKIES

Action by the federal government to ban interstate telephone and telegraph service to race wire operators has been asked by the California Public Utilities commission.

Pixley Lions' club votes to donate at least one tree to the Friant State park.

Homecoming Will Be Held At High School

Annual homecoming for oldtimers of the Porterville community, held in connection with the November 11 veteran's celebration in Porterville, is scheduled this year for Porterville high school, according to Reuben Gilliam, homecoming committee chairman.

Mr. Gilliam states that a reception and program will be held in the high school gymnasium and that a noon lunch will be served in the high school cafeteria.

Preparation and serving of the lunch will be in the hands of the high school cafeteria staff and all proceeds from the lunch will go to the cafeteria, Mr. Gilliam states.

Work was official- started this week on Folsom dam on the American river.

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Four additional Exchange citrus houses this week announced officers and directors for the coming year.

H. R. Matzke is president of the Magnolia Citrus association; W. J. Herbage, vice-president; R. W. Job, Tulare County Exchange representative; Alberta Brey, alternate Tulare County Exchange representative and R. B. Scranton, director. Mr. Herbage is also labor representative .

The Porterville Citrus association is headed by Frank O. Sheldon, president; Milton H. Shry, vice-president; W. L. Richardson, second vice-president; Ray Holloway, Lauri Penttila, J. A. Leslie and Allan R. Leslie, directors. Allan Leslie is Tulare County Fruit Exchange representative and Mr. Sheldon, alternate representative.

President of the Richgrove-Jasmine Citrus association is W. A. Welch, president; William J. Lubking, vice-president; F. J. Coddington, P. H. Goodell, Robert W. Bennett, Harold J. Kurt and Homer Coe, directors. Mr. Goodell is Tulare County Fruit Exchange representative; Mr. Lubking, alternate.

E. I. Barnes is president of the Sunland Packing House company; C. A. Slaughter, vice-president; B. W. Althouse, second vice-president; J. H. O. Emory, B. N. Randolph, Carl Thiesse and Victor Meier, directors. Mr. Randolph is representative and Mr. Slaughter, alternate on the Tulare County Fruit Exchange board.

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DAIRY MEETING FOR VISALIA

One of 10 state meetings, set by the state department of agriculture for making nominations to fill seven vacancies on the Dairy Industry Advisory board, will be held in Visalia, October 19.

Face Facts On Reapportionment

"We should face up to the fact that Proposition No. 13 is a brainchild of metropolitan political bosses and big city professional leaders who hope, through senatorial reapportionment to gain control over both Senate and Assembly majorities," John Arthur Reynolds, manager of the Central Valley Empire association declared before the Tulare County Committee Against Reapportionment meeting in Visalia.

In Mr. Reynolds' opinion this truth should be told frankly and directly to all valley people who depend upon the valley's prosperity for their own prosperity. "It is vital they all realize this, whether they are businessmen, union people, farmers or professional men. The facts shouldn't be softpedaled. We should all face thetruth," Mr. Reynolds stated.

Union Election At Terra Bella

In order to determine whether or not employees of Rodenberry-Molica company at Terra Bella want Local 69 of the Producer Employes, Warehousemen and Helpers' union to be their bargaining representative, a secret ballot election for employes of the company has been directed by the National Labor Relations board.

Date of the election has not been set definitely, but will be in February or March of next year, during the height of the celery packing season.

WEED COTTROL MEETING HELD

Results of hormone spray use in the control of perennial milkweed in grain fields was the subject of a meeting held yesterday at the Cloer ranch east of Poplar. Walter J. Cordua, assistant Tulare county farm advisor conducting the meeting.

Grain Sorghum Meeting Today

New grain sorghum varities that may prove of value to San Joaquin valley farmers will be demonstrated at a field meeting to be held today (Friday) at 2 P. M. at the A. D. Glaves and Son ranch six miles west of Porterville an Olive street.

The meeting will be directed by Ralph L. Worrell, assistant Tulare county farm advisor. All persons interested are invited to attend.

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NEW TULE RIVER BRIDGE, OLIVE AND HENDERSON WORK REQUESTED

A new bridge across the Tule river, somewhere in the vicinity of the old Plano bridge, was listed as being of primary importance to the city of Porterville and to residents of the area south of Porterville at an informal meeting of the Porterville chamber of commerce highway committee with Art J. Snell Tulare county road commissioner, Tuesday afternoon at the Porterville city hall.

In addition, committee members, in their discussion with Mr. Snell recommended that Henderson road be extended and improved from the new bridge across Porter slough to the present highway 65 and that planned imporvement work on West Olive street be expedited.

Henderson Work

Concerning Henderson road, Mr. Snell stated that equipment will be working this week on road improvement between Westwood drive and the slough bridge on Henderson and that this same equipment will then start working north on Westwood.

Relative to Olive street improvement, Mr. Snell said that $161,00 of federal aid funds are available for work on Olive from a point west of the Tule river bridge where the Friant-Kern canal will intersect the road, east to the Porterville city limits.

He said that practically all right-of-ways have been secured but that condemmnation proceedings may be necessary in some cases in order that a 60-foot right-of-way can be obtained by the county.

Plans Ready

Plans and specifications on Olive are ready, Mr Snell said, and actual work will start when right-of-way matters are cleared up. The road will consist of two 11-foot lanes with four-foot shoulder on each side—the same standard as the recently improved road west of the Tule river.

The road committee also requested that Mr. Snell consider a Tule river bridge west of the present Porterville Main street bridge and that consideration be given to the extending of Morton street as a route into the foothill country.

The importance of the Tule river bridge east of Porterville Main street was stressed in view of anticipated increased travel into Porterville from the south following start of construction of the state hospital east of Plano.

Leadership Pins To 4-H Workers

Leadership pins were presented to junior 4-H club leaders in Tulare county by Tulare district Young Farmers at a meeting of the county 4-H council held Tuesday evening at the Methodist church in Visalia.

Receiving pins were: John Andreas and Margaret Marshall of the Earlimart 4-H club; Barbara Birchfield and Aspasia Matas, Alta Vista; Twyla Wilson, Luellan Rountree and Rodney Homer, Vandalia; Betty Schrieber, Lindsay: Francis Wilson, Burton; Loretta Muller, Ducor and to others from the northern county area.

Presentations were made by Allan Asay, president of the Young Farmer group.

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Unfortunately, political campaigns have the facility of becoming unpleasant when a candidate resorts to "smear tactics" and to the spreading of the whispered word. And, apparently, the greater the smear and the more fantastic the whisper becomes, the more inclined some of us are to believe what we hear.

But, in the interest of electing the best men to office, we should question the smear and the whispered word, check as to their source and as to the motive of the individual who uses them, and, if we are really interested in local issues, step to the telephone, call the candidate concerned and ask him point blank if the statement we heard is true or untrue.

The whispered story, the smear campaign, on a greatly magnified scale, is comparable to the old-fashioned whispering game, in which a message is started along a line of children and repeated by whispering from one to the other. Remember how garbled the final message always was as compared to the original?

And usually the whispered political story, the smear story, becomes just as garbled as the whispered message in the children's game.

But in politics, the whisper and smear become dangerous weapons because they appeal to ignorance and cloud the real issues of the campaign.

The only defense against them is the use of our own intelligence; our own refusal to believe the idle rumor and the political gossip that comes our way.

Rabies Control Officer Is Working In Southern Area Of Tulare County

Haney Pack, rabies control officer for the Tulare County Health department, is now working out of Porterville and is operating in the southern Tulare county area. All unlicensed dogs are being picked up and disposed of in the rabies control program.

Mr. Pack states that unlicensed dogs are held for a period of three days after being taken in and that persons missing their dog should call the health department office in the county building at Porterville, telephone 1089, if they desire to have their dog vaccinated, licensed and released to them.

1949 Tags

Present program calls for the issuing of 1949 dog licenses the first of November and a schedule for licensing will be released for the rural communities in southern Tulare county prior to that date.

In order to secure a county dog license, owners must first have their dog vaccinated for rabies. This vaccination may be performed by any veterinarian; license may then be obtained at the county building in Porterville at any time.

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Mr. Alexander further stated that it is hoped to have irrigation water in the canal as far as the Kaweah river, east of Visalia, by spring of next year. When completed, the Friant-Kern canal will be 153 miles in length.

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Dairy Meeting Set For Visalia Morning Of Oct. 19

The Dairy department of the California Farm Bureau federation, has called a meeting in Legion room of civic auditorium, Visalia, Calif., Tuesday, October 19th, 1948, 10 A. M., to consider activity reports of the California Dairy Industry Advisory board. This is one of a series held throughout the State, according to Axie Morgan, Visalia, Chairman Dairy Dept. Tulare County Farm Bureau.

All Dairy farmers and handlers in California contribute to the work of the Dairy Advisory board which carries on a continuous program of research, education advertising and public relations intended to help maintain and increase the use of dairy products.

The Dairy Advisory board consists of nineteen members. All divisions of the industry are represented. Members are appointed by the California Director of Agriculture on nominations from the industry. They serve without salary. One purpose of the local meeting will be to make nominations for board membership.

The report of the board shows eleven projects of research underway to discover new uses and values for dairy products; a program of education which included distribution of more than five million copies of health education materials and an advertising campaign in which all newspapers in the state are used, as well as a large showing of outdoor boards.

R. J. Werner, manager of the Dairy Advisory board, will be among the speakers at the local meeting to present a close-up view of activities.

Large acreage increase of spring tomatoes in Texas has brought about a serious marketing problem.

Tokay Grape Growers Voting On Agreement

Tulare County Tokay grape growers who have not received ballots for voting on the proposed amendments to the existing marketing agreement and order program may obtain them at the Agricultural Extension Service, Post Office Bldg., Visalia. Ballots are available at this office for producers of Tokay grapes during the 1947 season who have not already received one.

Assistant Farm Advisor Fred Jensen said ballots, proposed amendments, and voting instructions have already been mailed to all growers of record by U.S.-D.A.'s Production and Marketing administration. The balloting period is from September 27 to October 4, inclusive. Ballots may be returned in already-addressed envelopes that require no postage. They must be postmarked not later than midnight of October 4.

Under the proposed amendments, the administrative committee would be permitted to establish minimum standards of quality and maturity of Tokay grapes shipped in interstate commerce. The committee would also be authorized, with the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture, to engage in research and service activities.

For amendments to both a marketing agreement and order to become effective, at least two-thirds of the growers participating in the referendum and at least half of the handlers must signify their approval.

Registered voters in Kern county total 75,168, the largest number in the history of the county.

The Porterville Council of Parents and Teachers has gone on record favoring a return to standard time.

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Why Is It That People Buy Potatoes? Three Thousand Housewives Give Answer

A survey by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics under the Research and Marketing Act is reported to help to meet the difficulties with the marketing and consumption of potatoes. According to Walter J. Cordua, Tulare county assistant farm advisor, the information was obtained from more than 3,000 housewives living in towns with a population of 2,500 or more. The survey is useful to producers and distributors of potatoes and provides for futher research.

Size of potato: Homemakers buy medium-sized potatoes, chiefly because (1) they are the right size for judging portions; (2) can be used for several kinds of cooking. About a third of the homemakers said they would buy more small potatoes if the price were reduced and more than a third said they buy large potatoes chiefly for baking.

Smooth Skin

Outside characteristics: Homemakers look for "smooth skin," "clean surface," "few eyes or dents," and "no spots or blemishes."

Cooking qualities: Almost 9 in 10 of the housewives buy only an all-purpose potato plus one special-purpose potatoe.

Cooking habits: Nine out of ten homemakers served potatoes at least once during the week before they were interviewed and average number of servings was four.

Potato substitutes: About three-fourths of homemakers use other foods as substitutes for potatoes. Those in the North said they use cereal pastes such as spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles. Homemakers in the South mentioned rice, cereal pastes and the grits-corn meal. Sweet potatoes were reported as a substitute by only 10 percent in the North and 16 per cent in the South.

They Like Them

Use of potatoes: Six in ten homemakers said they include potatoes in their meals because their families like them, but only a few know that potatoes have any food value other than starch.

Graded potatoes: While over half of the homemakers had heard of potato grades, most had only a general idea what they meant. Most would li e to have grades marked on bins or packages.

Storage problems: Most homemakers bought enough potatoes at one time to last a week and usually stored them in the kitchen. Three out of four said that at some time they had bought potatoes which were so bad they had to be thrown away.

Price, size, and quality: Homemakers say that quality is most important to homemakers when they buy potatoes. Size is mentioned or indicated to be second in importance and price third. Lower income buyers seem to be slightly more concerned about price than the upper group.

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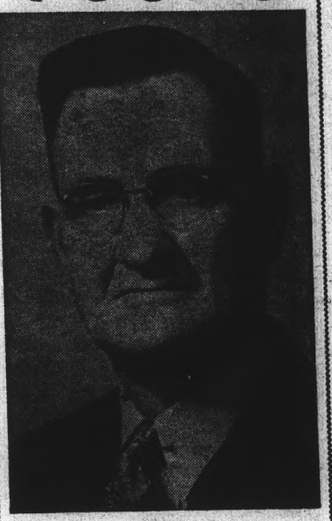

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Farm Bureau Women Invite Public To Discussion Of Ballot Measures

Tulare county citizens this week were invited to attend a special meeting arranged by the Tulare County Farm Bureau Associated Women for Wed., Oct. 13th, in Visalia, in which the important measures appearing on the November 2, ballot will be discussed.

Mrs. Chas. Fisher of Strathmore, chairman of the County Associated Women, said the meeting was open to the public, and urged all citizens, men and women, to attend. The conference will be held in the Farm Bureau Office, and will begin at 10:30 A. M.

Discussion Leaders

Leading the discussion, according to Mrs. Fisher, will be two representatives of the California Farm Bureau Federation, Richard Owens, Berkeley legislative research director, Jamie Robertson, Visalia, area representative of C.F.B.F.

Mrs. Fisher added that the Visalia meeting is one of a series of 40 similar discussion conferences scheduled throughout California under the auspices of the Farm Bureau Home Department.

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Roy McLain Urges Opposition To Number 13

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McLain returned from the east Sunday in time to address the annual Farm Bureau picnic at Mooney grove. He discussed the dangers to the valley's farm economy contained in the proposed Senatorial Reapportionment plan, and made urgent plea to county voters to cast aside their present apathy.

The matter is so serious we cannot afford to ignore it, he warned, saying "we must rally every voter in the rural areas, every county voter, if we do our share to defeat this vicious proposal to junk our present state system of government.

"Agriculture is already outvoted in the state assembly. Victory for Proposition No. 13 would destroy our present and only remaining political equality in the Senate. We must turn out an overwhelming valley vote against No. 13" McLain said in strongly worded warning.

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County Business To County Firms Says Mr. Moore

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equipment and supplies at the lowest possible cost," Mr. Moore said, "it is my opinion that business firms in Tulare county can supply practically every county need, and that by utilizing a system of bids, a fair distribution of county business can be accomplished within the county.

"After all," Mr. Moore pointed out, "the man who pays county taxes is entitled to county business and should be given a chance to secure that business."

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